
IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Invention: **Biomass Gasification System**)
Serial No.: **10/608,443**)
Filed: **6/26/2003**)
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Group Art Unit: **3749**)
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**APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO
THE OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 8, 2006**

Dear Sir:

A. PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total of two (2) Months to file an Amendment and Response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 8, 2006. The granting of this extension will extend the response time until January 8, 2007.
2. Applicant is a small entity that has already been asserted by the Applicant.
3. Calculation of the extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)): **\$255**
4. Electronic payment in the appropriate amount has been included with this response. Please charge any insufficiency of fee, or credit any excess, to Deposit Account No. 501248.

B. AMENDMENT OF APPLICATION

Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims: (strikethrough parts deleted and underlined parts added)